

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

for the
SOUTHERN District of NEW YORK.

United States of America)

v.)

KENNETH HOFFMAN)
Defendant)Case No. 12 m 2582

CONSENT TO PROCEED BEFORE A MAGISTRATE JUDGE IN A MISDEMEANOR CASE

A United States magistrate judge has explained to me the nature of the charges against me and the maximum penalty that may be imposed on each charge if I am found guilty. The magistrate judge has also informed me of my right to a lawyer, my right to a jury trial, and my right to be tried, judged, and sentenced before either a United States district judge or a United States magistrate judge.

I consent to being tried before a United States magistrate judge, and I waive my rights to trial, judgment, and sentencing by a United States district judge.

[Signature]
Defendant's signature

Waiver of a Right to Trial by Jury

I waive my right to a jury trial.

[Signature]
Defendant's signature

The United States consents to the jury-trial waiver:

[Signature]
Government representative's signature

[Signature]
Government representative's printed name and title

Waiver of a Right to Have 30 Days to Prepare for Trial

I waive my right to have 30 days to prepare for trial.

[Signature]
Defendant's signature

[Signature]
Printed name of defendant's attorney (if any)

[Signature]
Signature of defendant's attorney (if any)

Date:

1/28/13

Approved by:

[Signature]
Magistrate Judge's signature

